

Table 1. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure, 2000

New Mexico

Event ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	35	100
Transportation incidents	20	57
Highway	11	31
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	3	9
Noncollision	8	23
Jack-knifed or overturned--no collision	8	23
Aircraft	5	14
Contact with objects and equipment	6	17
Struck by object	4	11
Struck by falling object	4	11
Falls	3	9
Fall to lower level	3	9

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries

Table 2. Fatal occupational injuries by selected characteristics, 2000

New Mexico

Worker characteristics	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	35	100
Employee status		
Wage and salary workers ¹	32	91
Self-employed ²	3	9
Sex		
Men	33	94
Age		
20 to 24 years	7	20
25 to 34 years	9	26
35 to 44 years	7	20
45 to 54 years	6	17
65 years and over	3	9
Race		
White	23	66
Hispanic or Latino	9	26

¹ May include volunteers and other workers receiving compensation.

² Includes paid and unpaid family workers, and may include owners of incorporated businesses, or members of partnerships.

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Table 3. Fatal occupational injuries by occupation, 2000

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Occupation ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	35	100
Managerial and professional specialty	4	11
Technical, sales, and administrative support	4	11
Technicians and related support occupations	3	9
Technicians, except health, engineering, and science	3	9
Airplane pilots and navigators	3	9
Farming, forestry, and fishing	6	17
Other agricultural and related occupations	3	9
Farm occupations, except managerial	3	9
Farm workers	3	9
Precision production, craft, and repair	9	26
Mechanics and repairers	3	9
Mechanics and repairers, except supervisors	3	9
Construction trades	4	11
Construction trades, except supervisors	3	9
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	10	29
Transportation and material moving occupations	7	20
Motor vehicle operators	6	17
Truck drivers	5	14

¹ Based on the 1990 Occupational Classification System developed by the Bureau of the Census.

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Table 4. Fatal occupational injuries by industry, 2000

New Mexico

Industry ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	35	100
Private industry	33	94
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	4	11
Mining	3	9
Oil and gas extraction	3	9
Oil and gas field services	3	9
Construction	7	20
General building contractors	3	9
Special trade contractors	3	9
Manufacturing	4	11
Lumber and wood products	3	9
Transportation and public utilities	10	29
Trucking and warehousing	5	14
Trucking and courier services, except air	5	14
Trucking, except local	5	14
Transportation by air	4	11

¹ Classified according to the *Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1987*.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

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